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METHOD

Examiner: PEFFLEY, M.

Group Art Unit: 3739 Confirmation No. 2354

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Sir:

- 1. Transmitted herewith are the following:

 - Five replacement drawing sheets of Figs. 1A, 2-5, 12A and 12B
 - A Petition for Three-month Time Extension
 - A Check in the amount of \$1020.00 covering the fee due.
- 2. Entity Status
 - Large Entity Status (37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27) is proper for this case.
- 3. Conditional Petition for Extension of Time:

An Extension of Time is requested to provide for timely filing if necessary for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures.

4. <u>Provisional Fee Authorization</u>

Please charge any underpayment in fees for timely filing of this transmittal and enclosures to Deposit Account No. 50-2207.

Respectfully submitted,

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